Teacher vacancy

The St. Christopher School

Mountdale Gardens, Leigh-on-Sea, Essex, SS9 4AW www.thestchristopherschool.co.uk



Full time teacher
From September 2024
Visits to the school strongly
encouraged



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Teacher required for September 2024

Are you a teacher with a passion for helping students with special educational needs? The St. Christopher School could be your next exciting opportunity!

As a special school that caters to pupils from ages 3 to 19, The St. Christopher School works with students who have Autism Spectrum Disorder, ADHD, communication & interaction difficulties, and a range of learning difficulties.

Since joining the SEN Trust Southend in 2017, The St. Christopher School has been able to collaborate with St. Nicholas School, Lancaster School, and Kingsdown School, opening up even more opportunities for teachers and students.

If you are a skilled teacher with experience or a keen interest in working with learners who have special educational needs and complex learning difficulties, then this role would be ideal. The school is especially interested in teachers who have a passion for supporting communication and sensory needs.

As a teacher at The St. Christopher School, you will need to be enthusiastic, reflective, and dedicated. You must show a genuine interest in working with pupils who have special educational needs, and you will need to be able to motivate the team of support staff that works with you.

The school fosters a whole-school teamwork ethos, and you will need to be committed to this approach. In return, the school provides access to high-quality training for its staff, offering plenty of opportunities to develop your skills and stay up-to-date with the latest practices and techniques in special education. If you are looking for a fulfilling teaching role where you can truly make a difference in the lives of students, then The St. Christopher School is the perfect place for you.

Salary: Main scale/UPS +1 SEN point (second SEN point dependent on advanced qualifications).

For further information about the post contact Dan Woodman, Headteacher.

For an application form and/or to arrange a visit contact Karen Stevenson/Helen Warren.

Visits are strongly recommended, to understand the school context and nature of special educational needs of the pupils in the school. Please contact the school for further information.



What we can offer:

- Amazing learner.
- ✓ Supportive families
 - A strong, supportive team
- ✓ Thorough induction proces
- Professional development opportunities
- ✓ In-house specialist staff, e.g. S<
- ✓ Ofsted Outstanding school
- Medical support e.g. flu vaccinations
- Above average PPA allocation
- Access to school caravans and avm
- Part of a strong multi-academy trust with collaboration opportunities.

Closing date for applications: 19/04/2024

Interviews to take place: Wk beginning 29/04/2024

Job description

JOB TITLE: Teacher

SALARY: Main scale/UPS + 1 SEN point

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- To provide an inspirational, empowering and innovative curriculum to meet the needs of the range of pupils within the group.
- To enable each and every learner to make progress against their individualised goals.
- To build positive relationships with learners and families.
- To continually develop and empower other's development through the appraisal process.
- To be a positive role model and ambassador for the school.

RESPONSIBLE TO: Headteacher and Senior Leadership Team.

RESPONSIBLE FOR: All staff working within your teaching group.

DUTIES: All duties are to be carried out with regard to the conditions for teachers set out in school teachers pay and conditions document 2014.

Teachers should also be aware of their duties as laid down in professional standards for teachers document 2012.

PARTICULAR DUTIES:

- Pastoral responsibility for named group.
- Budget Holder for your class group.
- Subject co-ordination responsibilities.
- To have regard for the welfare and safeguarding of pupils at all times.
- To review and implement positive support plans for all learners.

As a school, we are committed to ensuring the welfare and safeguarding of all pupils. All staff will be subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.

For more information on the school, please visit the website: www.thestchristopherschool.co.uk





Person specification:

Applicants should be able to demonstrate:

- Their ability to teach pupils with a range of learning difficulties.
- Have experience of working in a special school or with learners with complex SEND.
- An awareness of current curriculum issues about special needs in general and more particularly current practices in the field of ASD and ADHD.
- Positive, proactive, and solutionfocused mindset.
- The ability to work as part of a team.
- A commitment to continued personal and professional development.



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